

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND  
BEFORE THE RHODE ISLAND ETHICS COMMISSION**

In re: Daryl Gould,  
Respondent

Complaint No. 2019-14

**ORDER**

This matter having been heard before the Rhode Island Ethics Commission on November 19, 2019, pursuant to Commission Regulation 520-RICR-00-00-3.16 Informal Disposition (1011), and the Commission having considered the Complaint herein, the arguments of counsel, and the proposed Information Resolution and Settlement, which is incorporated by reference herein, it is hereby:

**ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED**

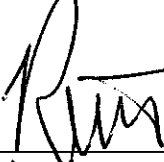
THAT the Commission approves the Informal Resolution and Settlement as submitted;

THAT the Commission incorporates by reference herein the Findings of Fact and Admissions, and the Conclusions of Law, set forth in the Informal Resolution and Settlement;

THAT the Respondent violated R.I. Gen. Laws § 36-14-16(c); and

THAT the Respondent is ordered to pay a civil penalty in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

ENTERED as an Order of this Commission,

  
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Chairperson

Dated: November 19, 2019

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**INFORMAL RESOLUTION AND SETTLEMENT**

The Respondent, Daryl Gould, and the Rhode Island Ethics Commission ("Commission") hereby agree to a resolution of the above-referenced matter as follows:

**I. FINDINGS OF FACT & ADMISSIONS**

1. The Respondent was a candidate for the Rhode Island House of Representatives in the 2018 general election.

2. The Respondent did not file his 2017 Financial Disclosure Statement ("2017 Statement") within thirty (30) days of the deadline for declaration of candidacy as required by R.I. Gen Laws § 36-14-16(c).

3. The Respondent filed his 2017 Statement with the Commission on September 10, 2019, subsequent to the filing of the instant Complaint.

**II. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

1. As a candidate for an elected office in 2018, the Respondent was required to timely file a 2017 Statement with the Commission pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws § 36-14-16(c).


2. By failing to file his 2017 Statement with the Commission until September 10, 2019, the Respondent did not timely comply with the requirements of R.I. Gen. Laws § 36-14-16(c).




### III. SETTLEMENT

Pursuant to the above Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, the parties hereby agree, subject to the approval of the Commission, to the following, pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws § 36-14-13(d) and 520-RICR-00-00-3.16 Informal Disposition (1011):

1. The Commission shall enter an Order and Judgment that the Respondent failed to timely file his 2017 Statement with the Commission as required by R.I. Gen. Laws § 36-14-16(c).
2. The Prosecution will recommend, and the Respondent agrees to pay, a civil penalty in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).
3. The above terms represent the full and complete Informal Resolution and Settlement for Complaint No. 2019-14.

  
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Teodora Popova Papa, Esq. (Bar No. 8753)  
Commission Prosecutor  
Dated:

 9/11/19  
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Daryl Gould  
Respondent  
Dated: